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News Item

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RE: Precinct Committee Officer Recounts

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**August 19, 2008 Primary Election
Precinct Committee Officer Recounts**

The Mason County Canvassing Board has ordered a manual recount for the following Precinct Committee Officer (PCO) races.

Democratic PCO Races

Hoodspout 114 Precinct
Victor 131 Precinct
Shelton 13 213 Precinct
Shelton 15 215 Precinct

Republican PCO Races

Belfair 4 107 Precinct
Kamilche 116 Precinct
Tahuya 129 Precinct
Timberlake 306 Precinct

Because the difference between the two vote totals is less than 150 votes and less than one-fourth of one percent, a manual recount is mandatory.

The recount has been scheduled for Tuesday, September 9, 2008 at 9:00 a.m. and will take place at the Mason County Auditor's Office. Please feel free to attend as an observer.

The County Canvassing Board will convene at 4:00 p.m. Tuesday, September 9, 2008 to certify the amended abstract of votes and certify the results of lot draws required by tied races.

You may contact our election department at 360.427.9670 ext. 469 with any questions.

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